

Attorney Docket No. 01029

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

MIYAMOTO et al.

Serial No: 09/779,605

Filed: February 9, 2001

For: CONNECTING MEMBER FOR

A SOUND GENERATOR

: Group Art Unit: 2839

Examiner: C. Prasad

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

- 1. Applicant hereby petitions pursuant to 37 CFR Sec.
  1.136(a) for a three month extension of time for response to the Office Action dated May 16, 2002. The period for response was previously set to expire August 16, 2002, and is accordingly hereby extended to November 16, 2002 which is still within the six-month statutory period for response (35 USC Sec. 133) which elapses November 16, 2002.
- 2. The reason for this petition is as follows:
  An RCE is being filed.
- 3. The required fee as established by 37 CFR Sec. 1.17(a), (b), (c) or (d) pursuant to 35 USC Sec. 41(a)(8) is:

Small Entity

Large Entity

Three Months \$460.00

\$920.00

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4. The above fee is: XXX Enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

November 18, 2002
Date

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